REMARKS

This Preliminary Amendment is made in this divisional application to lay claim to embodiments of the present invention not claimed in the parent application, and to place the claims of this divisional application in conformance with U.S. patent practice. These amendments are not in derogation of any prior art, and Applicant respectfully asserts that it is entitled to the claims as amended and any equivalents thereof.

Claims 1-27 were originally pending in this case. Upon entry of this Amendment, Claims 1-27 will be cancelled and Claims 28-41 will be newly added, thus leaving Claims 28-41 pending in the case.

Claims 28-41 are quite similar to those in the allowed parent cases, U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/142,325 and 09/646,722, however, the CKE moiety in identified as Formula (7) and (8) is being claimed in the present case.

This Preliminary Amendment contains the amended first sentence and reference required by 37 C.F.R. Section 1.78.

The Combined Oath and Declaration contains a claim of priority pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.55.

An Information Disclosure Statement and Form PTO 1449 accompanies this Amendment with a request pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.98(d) that copies of the art submitted to and cited by the U.S. Patent Office from the parent application of this application be used in connection with this application.

Review, consideration and allowance of Claims 28-41 are respectfully requested.

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